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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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| Ser. No.: 09/537,192 | Filed: March 29, 2000   | Examiner: ROY, Sikha |
| Art Unit: 2879       | Title: <b>FLOATING CHIP PHOTONIC DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE</b> |                      |

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an *Amendment* in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED |                                  |       |                                    |                             |      |                 |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------|-----------------|
|                   | Claims remaining after amendment |       | Highest Number Previously Paid For | No. of Extra Claims Present | Rate | Additional Rate |
| Total Claims      | 14                               | Minus | 20                                 | 0                           | X 18 | -0-             |
| Indep. Claims     | 2                                | Minus | 3                                  | 0                           | X 86 | -0-             |
| TOTAL             |                                  |       |                                    |                             | =    | -0-             |

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ Applicants request any extensions of time that may be necessary and authorize the required fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.
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Respectfully submitted,

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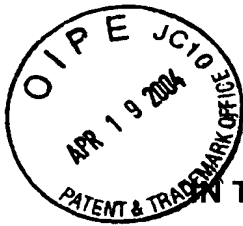
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**AMENDMENT**

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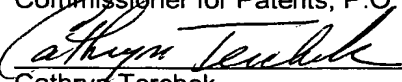
The following is provided in response to the Office Action issued on March 25, 2004, in connection with the above-captioned application. Please amend the application as follows:

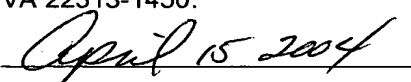
**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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